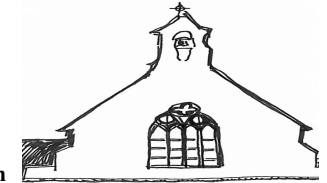


Parish of Killavullen & Annakisha

Thirteenth Week of Ordinary Time (June 30 - July 6)

19.25



Thirteenth Sunday: Following the Way of Christ means making certain choices and leaving some paths untraveled. **1st Reading:** Elijah puts the mantle (cloak), his badge of office as prophet, over the shoulders of Elisha. Elisha takes up his calling, leaving his previous work as a farmer. **2nd Reading:** Those who are guided by the Spirit walk in God's ways. **Gospel:** A lot is demanded of the disciples of Jesus; we can leave all to follow him. However, Jesus dampens down the over-enthusiasm of James and John.

A children's activity sheet based on today's Gospel is available from the Usher as you come to church.

Mass and other events this Week

Saturday Vigil Killavullen: 7.00pm
Confessions are celebrated from 6.30pm, prior to the Vigil Mass.

Sunday: Annakisha: 10.00am
 Killavullen: 11.30am

Monday to Wednesday Killavullen 9.00am

Holy Hour: Thursdays at 7.30pm. *(Note: no Mass on Thursday)*

Friday, July 5 Killavullen 7.30pm

May they rest in God's embrace: Mary Horgan (Carriganaltig)

Last weekend's collections. *Míle buíochas.*

	<i>Annakisha</i>	<i>Killavullen</i>
Weekly Offering	€170	€560

The Summer (Petrol) may be returned using the envelope included with the offering box, or one of the special envelopes available at church.

Baptism Preparation: A meeting will take place in the Parish Office on Monday, July 8 at 7.30pm for parents preparing for a baptism.

This Newsletter: please take me home for the week, especially if you are attending the 11.30am Mass

***Bon Mot:** Most of the shadows of life are caused
by standing in one's own sunshine.*

Entrance:

*A new hymn of praise
 Let us sing to the Lord. Alleluia
 Alleluia, Alleluia.*
 This is the day the Lord has made.
 Ransom for sin his life he gave. R./
 Bringing him gifts of bread and wine
 We receive back his life divine. R./

Recessional Hymn

Christ be near at either hand,
 Christ behind, before me stand.
 Christ with me where e'er I go.
 Christ around, above below.
*Christ my life and only way.
 Christ my lantern night & day,
 Christ be my unchanging friend.
 Guide and shepherd to the end.*

Killavullen Parish Pilgrimage to Glenstal: A summer excursion by coach will take place to Glenstal Abbey, Murroe, Co. Limerick, on August 15. The bus will depart Killavullen Church at 8.45am and Annakisha at 9.00am. The day will include Tea/Coffee and scone on arrival at 10.30am. A monk of the Benedictine Community will then lead a tour of the Abbey. At 12.10pm we will celebrate Mass with the monastic community for the Feast of the Assumption in the newly renovated Church of St. Columba. Lunch will be provided at the monastery. Afterwards there will be free time to explore the abbey grounds with its great variety of trees and its famous 17th century terraced walled garden. Depart Glenstal at 4.00pm. Tarrif: Adults: €45; U18s: €25. (private car bus: €40 / €20). Places should be reserved before July 15 by paying a deposit of €10 at the Sacristy of either church or at the Parish Office, Ballygriffin, using the reservation form. See: www.glenstal.org

A new website for our parish - www.killavullenparish.ie is active. It is intended to be an additional point of contact for parishioners, at home and abroad; and another way of sharing our Christian mission of faith, worship, service. The content of the website is updated each week with Catholic news from Ireland and abroad. Included this week is an interview with Bishop-elect Fintan Gavin, a Dubliner, on the preparation for his ordination as "servant-leader" of Cork and Ross Diocese on Sunday next

Parish Pastoral Council: A meeting of the Council will take place next Monday, July 1 at 7.30pm in the Parish Office, Ballygriffin.

A Blood Donation Clinic will be held at Mallow racecourse on Tuesday July 2 (5.00-8.30pm and on Wednesday and Thursday (July 3-4) frp, 3.00-5.00pm and 7.00-9.00pm. For details: 1850-731137 www.giveblood.ie

Bon Mot: True friendship is like good health:
 the value of it is seldom known until it is lost.